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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6597

BILL NUMBER: SB 179

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 7, 2011

BILL AMENDED: Feb 7, 2011

SUBJECT: Applications for Federal Grants.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Leising

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: 2nd Reading - 1st House

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) The bill specifies that a county executive may not submit an application for federal grant funds or grants payable from federal funds allocated to the state unless the application is first approved by resolution of the county council. It provides that this requirement does not apply to Marion County.

Effective Date: July 1, 2011.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues: (Revised) Under this bill, the county executive must gain the approval of the county fiscal body before submitting an application for federal grant funds, or grants payable from federal funds allocated to the state for distribution to units of local government. This provision does not apply to Marion County.

There are two fiscal impacts associated with this bill. The first would depend on whether the county could have received a grant but did not apply for it because the county council opposed submitting the application.

The second would depend on whether the county council would have to appropriate additional funds (e.g., matching funds) as one of the conditions for receiving the grant.

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: County executives; County councils.

Information Sources:

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